

the right to retain possession of personal property sequestered, by delivering to the officer executing the writ, a replevy bond payable to the plaintiff, with two or more good and sufficient sureties, to be approved by such officer, in an amount not less than double the value of the property to be retained, as set forth in the affidavit for sequestration, conditioned that he will satisfy any judgment recovered by the plaintiff, or pay thereon a sum equivalent to the value of such property, as set forth in said affidavit.

Sec. 2. Within ten (10) days after the rendition of judgment, the defendant may deliver to the clerk of the court in which such judgment was rendered, in cash, a sum equivalent to the amount thereof, or if such amount be in excess of the value of said property, as set forth in said affidavit, an amount equivalent to such value, which shall be credited by said clerk on said judgment, which credit shall operate as a release of defendant and the sureties on said replevy bond.

Sec. 3. All laws, and parts of laws in conflict herewith are hereby expressly repealed.

Sec. 4. The importance of this Act and the crowded condition of the calendar creates an emergency and a public necessity that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days in each House be suspended and that this Act take effect from and after its passage, and it is so enacted.

Committee Room.

Austin, Texas, June 6, 1929.

Hon. Barry Miller, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Finance, to whom was referred

S. B. No. 89, A bill to be entitled "An Act making an emergency appropriation out of the money in the State Treasury for the Industrial Accident Board of the State of Texas, for the balance of the fiscal year ending August 31, 1929, and declaring an emergency."

Have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass, and be printed in the Journal only.

POLLARD, Chairman.

By Pollard.

S. B. No. 89.

A BILL

To Be Entitled

An Act making an emergency appropriation out of the money in the State Treasury for the Industrial Accident Board of the State of Texas, for the balance of the fiscal year ending August 31, 1929, and declaring an emergency. Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That the following sum of money, and the same is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the State Treasury, not otherwise appropriated, to cover an emergency appropriation for the Industrial Accident Board of the State of Texas, for the balance of the fiscal year ending August 31, 1929, which appropriation shall be for the emergency hereinafter stated:

Postage, box rent, express, telegraph and telephone	\$650.00
Books, stationery, supplies and printing	850.00
Employment of physicians and expenses incidental to making medical examination	500.00

Sec. 2. The fact that the appropriations heretofore made for the above items are exhausted or will become exhausted before the expiration of the time for which the same was appropriated, creates an emergency, and an imperative public necessity which justifies the suspension of the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days in each House, and the rule is hereby suspended and this Act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage, and it is so enacted.

FIFTH DAY.

Senate Chamber,

Austin, Texas,

Friday, June 7, 1929.

The Senate met at 10 o'clock a. m., pursuant to adjournment, and was called to order by Lieutenant Governor Barry Miller.

The roll was called, a quorum being present, the following Senators answering to their names:

Beck.

Berkeley.

Cousins.

Cunningham.

DeBerry.	Parr.
Gainer.	Parrish.
Greer.	Patton.
Hardin.	Pollard.
Holbrook.	Russek.
Hornsby.	Small.
Hyer.	Stevenson.
Love.	Thomason.
Martin.	Williamson.
McFarlane.	Wirtz.
Moore.	Witt.
Miller.	Woodul.
Neal.	Woodward.

Absent.

Westbrook.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

Pending the reading of the Journal of yesterday, the same was dispensed with on motion of Senator Woodward.

Petitions and Memorials.

(See Appendix.)

Committee Reports.

(See Appendix.)

Bills and Resolutions.

By Senator Williamson:

S. B. No. 93, A bill to be entitled "An Act exempting from taxation public property used for public purposes; etc., and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on State Affairs.

By Senator Martin:

S. B. No. 94, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Chapter 6, Title 93, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, and Chapter 5, Title 14, Revised Criminal Statutes of Texas, 1925, relating to public weighers, by amending Articles 5680, 5681, 5683, 5688, 5689, 5691, 5697, 5700, 5704; etc., and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Criminal Jurisprudence.

By Senator Wirtz:

S. B. No. 95, A bill to be entitled "An Act to provide that the compensation of the Tax Commissioner of the State of Texas shall be such amount as may be provided for by the Legislature in appropriation bills, repealing all laws in conflict, and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on State Affairs.

By Senator Woodward:

S. B. No. 96, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing for the appointment of weighers for cotton compression, etc., and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on State Affairs.

By Senator Hornsby:

S. B. No. 97, A bill to be entitled "An Act to provide for the appointment of one deputy sheriff in each county containing a population of not less than 10,040 nor more than 10,050, as shown by the preceding Federal census and authorizing the payment of salary out of the general fund of the county and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on State Affairs.

By Senator Hornsby:

S. B. No. 98, A bill to be entitled "An Act fixing the salary of the Court reporter in each judicial district in this State containing eight or more counties having a combined population according to the latest United States census of not less than 50,500 and not more than 50,600 and prescribing the manner of the payment of same; and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on State Affairs.

By Senator Martin:

S. B. No. 99, A bill to be entitled "An Act making provision for convicts in the State Penitentiary to be granted a limited amount of freedom from restraint while serving their sentence and requiring such convicts to execute a bond payable to the State of Texas to protect the State against a violation of privileges by such convicts; etc., and declaring an emergency."

Read first time and referred to Committee on State Penitentiaries.

By Senator Parr:

S. B. No. 100, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Art. 7482, and Art. 7485, as contained in Chapter one of Title 128 of the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas; fixing adequate compensation of the members of the State Board of Water Engineers and of the Reclamation Engineer of the State of Texas."

Read first time and referred to Committee on Finance.

Invitation Extended.

The Chair laid before the Senate the following invitation:

Austin, Texas, June, 6, 1929.

Hon. Barry Miller, President of the Senate,

Hon. W. S. Barron, Speaker of House of Representatives,

Forty-first Legislature, Second Special Session,

Austin, Texas.

Gentlemen:

The Hill Country District of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, joined by the citizens of Mason, Llano, Junction, Kerrville, Menard, Fredericksburg, the president, manager and staff of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, and the people and the citizenship included by this district extend a most cordial invitation to your honorable body to attend this annual district convention to be held in Mason on date of Monday, June 17, 1929. The cities mentioned desire the privilege of entertaining their State officials and your honorable body on June 16th and 17th.

It is our plan to provide transportation in Austin on the morning of Sunday, June 16th, leaving at 9 a.m. and take this wonderful scenic drive through Fredericksburg to Junction by Kerrville, spending an evening and night at Junction as guests of the citizenship of Kimble County; then proceeding Monday morning to go to Mason by Menard, where the District Convention is to be held and where the citizenship of Mason County will take pleasure in serving an old style barbecue with the usual trimmings. Following the barbecue and program of the District Convention and reception, it will be our pleasure to continue the journey through Llano and then return to Austin Monday evening. In this way there will be only one working day lost, and, considering the pleasure that will be afforded the citizenship of this section and the opportunity of visualizing this great scenic section, we believe that it will be time well spent.

The Hill Country of West Texas is a panorama of beauty at this season of the year, and we desire to

offer to our friends, the State officials and the legislators the opportunity of visualizing the beauty thereof. This is the only object we have in extending this invitation and you can be assured of the grateful appreciation of the entire citizenship if you will accept it, and at the same time you can be reassured of a most cordial reception.

Carl Runge, Pres., C. of C. Mason, T. J. Moore, Pres., C. of C. Llano; A. E. Nauwald, Menard; Emil Loeffler, Junction; E. H. Riley, Fredericksburg; Mrs. Amy Wallace, Kerrville; West Texas Chamber of Commerce, by A. M. Bourland, Pres., Homer D. Wade, Mgr.

We concur most heartily in the above invitation.

W. A. Williamson, Walter Woodward, A. J. Wirtz, John W. Hornsby, Senators.

Coke Stevenson, A. P. C. Petsch, Representatives.

The invitation was read.

On motion of Senator Pollard, the invitation was accepted.

S. C. R. No. 6.

Senator Woodul sent up the following resolution:

Whereas, Honorable Calvin Coolidge, Ex-President of the United States has never been the guest of the State of Texas; and

Whereas, Mr. Coolidge is loved and admired by countless numbers of our citizens, and all Texas would appreciate a visit on his part to this State; and

Whereas, The Houston Salesmanship Club has extended an invitation to Mr. Coolidge to be its honored guest on the occasion of its Fourth Annual Gridiron Dinner this Coming December and has arranged entertainment features in the way of hunting and fishing, and sight-seeing trips to the principal cities in Texas so that Mr. Coolidge can become better acquainted with this great State and her people; now therefore be it

Resolved, By the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring, that the Forty-first Legislature of Texas endorse the invitation of the Houston Salesmanship Club extended to Ex-President Coolidge and on behalf of the State of Texas urge his acceptance in order that this great statesman and the people of Texas

may become better acquainted; and be it further

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be telegraphed to Mr. Coolidge by the Secretary of the Senate.

WOODUL.

Read and adopted.

Simple Resolution No. 1.

The Chair laid before the Senate on second reading the following resolution:

Simple Resolution No. 1, relating to the adoption and amendment of the Senate rules.

Senator Pollard moved to make the resolution special order for Monday morning during the morning call.

Senator McFarlane moved to table the motion. The motion to table was lost by the following vote:

Yeas—2.

Hornsby.

McFarlane.

Nays—21.

Beck.	Patton.
Berkeley.	Pollard.
DeBerry.	Russek.
Gainer.	Small.
Hardin.	Stevenson.
Holbrook.	Thomason.
Hyer.	Williamson.
Love.	Wirtz.
Martin.	Witt.
Miller.	Woodul.
Parr.	Woodward.

Absent.

Cousins.	Neal.
Cunningham.	Parrish.
Greer.	Westbrook.
Moore.	

The motion to set as special order prevailed.

Senator Excused.

On motion of Senator Patton, Senator Cousins was excused for the day on account of important business.

Senate Bill No. 19.

Senator Love received unanimous consent to take up the following bill:

By Senator Love.

S. B. No. 19, A bill to be entitled "An Act exempting the cash surrender value of life insurance poli-

cies for liability for debt when any member or members of the family of the insured is a beneficiary and under such policies, and exempting same from any kind of forced sale for other process to satisfy any debt; etc., and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and passed to engrossment.

On motion of Senator Love the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days was suspended and S. B. No. 19 was put on its third reading and final passage, by the following vote:

Yeas—28.

Beck.	Neal.
Berkeley.	Parr.
Cunningham.	Parrish.
DeBerry.	Patton.
Gainer.	Pollard.
Hardin.	Russek.
Holbrook.	Small.
Hornsby.	Stevenson.
Hyer.	Thomason.
Love.	Williamson.
Martin.	Wirtz.
McFarlane.	Witt.
Miller.	Woodul.
Moore.	Woodward.

Absent.

Cousins.	Westbrook.
Greer.	

Read third time and finally passed by the following vote:

Yeas—28.

Beck.	Neal.
Berkeley.	Parr.
Cunningham.	Parrish.
DeBerry.	Patton.
Gainer.	Pollard.
Hardin.	Russek.
Holbrook.	Small.
Hornsby.	Stevenson.
Hyer.	Thomason.
Love.	Williamson.
McFarlane.	Wirtz.
Martin.	Witt.
Miller.	Woodul.
Moore.	Woodward.

Absent.

Cousins.	Westbrook.
Greer.	

Senate Bill No. 4.

The Chair laid before the Senate as pending business S. B. No. 4.

Senator McFarlane sent up the following amendment:

Amend S. B. No. 4 page 18 by striking out the figures line 25 and insert in lieu thereof for both columns \$4500.00.

McFARLANE.

The amendment was read and adopted.

Senator McFarlane sent up the following amendment:

Amend S. B. No. 4 page 18 by striking out the figures in line 24 and inserting in lieu thereof in both columns \$1500.00.

McFARLANE.

Read and adopted.

Senator McFarlane sent up the following amendment:

Amend S. B. No. 4 page 18 by striking out the figures in line 26 and insert in lieu thereof in each column \$2000.00.

McFARLANE.

Read and adopted.

Senator Neal sent up the following amendment:

Amend S. B. No. 4, page 23 by adding a new line 6a "Postage \$2000.00."

NEAL.

The amendment was read.

Senator Pollard moved to table the amendment. The motion was lost by the following vote:

Yeas—12.

Berkeley.	Miller.
Cunningham.	Pollard.
DeBerry.	Russek.
Holbrook.	Stevenson.
Martin.	Thomason.
McFarlane.	Wirtz.

Nays—12.

Beck.	Moore.
Gainer.	Neal.
Hardin.	Parr.
Hornsby.	Williamson.
Hyer.	Witt.
Love.	Woodul.

Absent.

Parrish.	Small.
Patton.	Woodward.

Absent—Excused.

Cousins.	Westbrook.
Greer.	

The Chair voted "Nay."

The amendment was lost by the following vote:

Yeas—11.

Beck.	Moore.
Greer.	Neal.
Hardin.	Parrish.
Hornsby.	Williamson.
Hyer.	Woodul.
Love.	

Nays—14.

Berkeley.	Parr.
Cunningham.	Pollard.
DeBerry.	Russek.
Holbrook.	Small.
Martin.	Stevenson.
McFarlane.	Thomason.
Miller.	Wirtz.

Absent.

Gainer.	Witt.
Patton.	Woodward.
Westbrook.	

Absent—Excused.

Cousins.

Senator McFarlane sent up the following amendment:

Amend S. B. No. 4, page 19 by striking out the figures line 26 and insert in lieu thereof for each column \$10,800.00.

McFARLANE.

Read and adopted.

Senator Patton sent up the following amendment:

Amend S. B. No. 4, page 19 line 24, changing "3000.00" to 3,600.00 for each year.

PATTON.

The amendment was read.

On motion of Senator Pollard the amendment was tabled.

Senator McFarlane sent up the following amendment:

Amend S. B. No. 4, page 20 by striking out 6000.00 and insert 4,500.00.

McFARLANE.

Read and adopted.

Executive Session.

At 11:00 o'clock a. m., the Chair announced that the hour for the executive session had arrived. The Chamber was cleared and the doors were locked.

After Executive Session.

At the conclusion of the executive session, the Secretary of the

Senate informed the Journal Clerk that the following action had been taken:

Committee Room,
Austin, Texas, June 7, 1929.
Hon. Barry Miller, President of the Senate.
Austin, Texas.

Sir: We, your Committee on Governor's Nominations, to whom was referred nominations made by Governor Dan Moody, having had the same under consideration, beg leave to make the following report:

We report the attached names for Notary Commissions to the Senate with the recommendation that they be confirmed.

Respectfully submitted,
WILLIAMSON, Chairman.

Read and adopted.

(See immediately following last day's Journal.)

Messages from the House.

The Chair recognized the Door-keeper, who introduced a messenger from the House with the following messages:

Hall of the House of Representatives,
Austin, Texas, June 7, 1929.
Hon. Barry Miller, President of the Senate.

Sir: I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has passed the following bill:

H. B. No. 5, A bill to be entitled "An Act making appropriations to pay salaries of judges and the support and maintenance of the Judicial Department of the State government for the two-year period beginning September 1, 1929, and ending August 31, 1931, and declaring an emergency."

Respectfully submitted,
LOUISE SNOW PHINNEY,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

Hall of the House of Representatives,
Austin, Texas, June 7, 1929.
Hon. Barry Miller, President of the Senate.

Sir: I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has passed the following bill:

H. B. No. 54, A bill to be entitled "An Act to appropriate fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000.00) to the State Department of Agriculture, to be used by the Commissioner of

Agriculture as an emergency fund to pay salaries and traveling expenses of inspections and general office expenses of the Department of Agriculture, and to pay damages for fruit destroyed and other claims, and declaring an emergency."

Respectfully submitted,
LOUISE SNOW PHINNEY,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

House Bills Referred.

H. B. No. 5 referred to Committee on Finance.

H. B. No. 54 referred to Committee on Finance.

Resolutions Signed.

The Chair, Lieutenant Governor Barry Miller, gave notice of signing, and did sign, in the presence of the Senate, after their captions had been read, the following resolutions:

H. C. R. No. 2.
H. C. R. No. 3.
H. C. R. No. 4.
H. C. R. No. 5.

Message From the Governor.

The Chair recognized the Door-keeper, who introduced a messenger from the Governor with the following message:

Executive Office.
Austin, Texas, June 7, 1929.
To the Members of the Forty-first Legislature:

The attached bill, to correct defects in H. B. No. 207 passed at the First Called Session of the Forty-first Legislature, is submitted for your consideration.

Respectfully submitted,
DAN MOODY,
Governor.

Senate Bill No. 4.

The question recurred upon S. B. No. 4.

Senator Hyer sent up the following amendments:

To amend S. B. No. 4, page 23, line 12, to read: "Board of Pardons and Paroles."

HYER.

Read and adopted.

To amend S. B. No. 4, page 23, line 14, to read:

Three board members\$9,000.

HYER.

Read and adopted.

Senator Woodul sent up the following amendment:

Amend S. B. No. 4, page 24, by adding after line number 18 the following:

Fees from the sale of employment agency license appropriated for the purpose of enforcing laws.

WOODUL.

The amendment was read.

Senator Wirtz moved to table the amendment. The motion was lost by the following vote:

Yeas—10.

Berkeley.	Moore.
Cunningham.	Parrish.
Greer.	Small.
Holbrook.	Wirtz.
Martin.	Woodward.

Nays—19.

Beck.	Parr.
Gainer.	Patton.
Hardin.	Pollard.
Hornsby.	Russek.
Hyer.	Stevenson.
Love.	Thomason.
McFarlane.	Witt.
Miller.	Woodul.
Neal.	

Absent

Williamson.

Absent—Excused.

Cousins.

(Pair Recorded.)

Senator DeBerry (present), who would vote yea with Senator Westbrook (absent), who would vote nay.

Senator Wirtz sent up the following amendment to the amendment:

Amend the amendment by striking out the words "for the purpose of enforcing laws" and in lieu thereof add "for inspecting such agencies to be accounted for in monthly reports to the Comptroller's Department."

WIRTZ.

Read and adopted.

The amendment as amended was adopted.

Senator DeBerry sent up the following amendment:

Amend S. B. No. 4, page 24, line 19, by striking out the figures in both columns and inserting in lieu thereof \$10,000.00.

DeBERRY.

Read and adopted.

Birthday Gift.

The Chair called Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms Tom McClendon to the platform and presented to him a gift on behalf of the pages and other employees in honor of his seventy-third birthday.

Simple Resolution No. 2.

The Chair laid before the Senate S. R. No. 2, relating to payment of certain employees of the Senate for pre-session work.

Read and adopted.

Adjournment.

On motion of Senator Wirtz, the Senate, at 12:08 o'clock p. m., adjourned until 10:00 o'clock Monday morning.

APPENDIX.

Committee on Engrossed Bills.

Committee Room,
Austin, Texas, June 7, 1929.
Hon. Barry Miller, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Engrossed Bills, have had S. B. No. 19 carefully examined and compared, and find the same correctly engrossed.

MILLER, Chairman.

Committee Reports.

Committee Room,
Austin, Texas, June 6, 1929.
Hon. Barry Miller, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Contingent Expense, to whom was referred

S. R. No. 2, A resolution authorizing the payment of certain employees of the Senate.

Have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass.

GAINER, Chairman.

Committee Room,
Austin, Texas, June 7, 1929.
Hon. Barry Miller, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Finance, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 8, A bill to be entitled "An Act appropriating the sum of Eighteen Thousand Seven Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$18,750.00), or so

much thereof as may be necessary for the compensation and expenses of the Commissioner appointed by the Supreme Court of the United States under the decree of that Court based upon its opinions of December 5, 1927, and April 9, 1928, in cause No. 2, Original in Equity, October Term, 1927, styled State of New Mexico, Complainant, vs. State of Texas to locate and mark upon the ground the boundary line between the State of Texas and the State of New Mexico under the judgment of said Court; and declaring an emergency."

Have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass, and be not printed.

POLLARD, Chairman.

Committee Room,
Austin, Texas, June 7, 1929.

Hon. Barry Miller, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on State Highways and Motor Traffic, to whom was referred

S. B. No. 81, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Chapter 4 of the Local and Special Laws of the Regular Session of the Thirty-fifth Legislature as amended, the same being a local road law for Llano County, so as to better approve the roads of said county; and declaring an emergency."

Have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass and that it being a local bill that it be not printed.

WITT, Chairman.

Committee Room,
Austin, Texas, June 7, 1929.

Hon. Barry Miller, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on State Highways and Motor Traffic, to whom was referred

S. B. No. 11, A bill to be entitled "An Act further regulating the operation of vehicles on the public highways; limiting the size and weight of vehicles and loads permitted on any public highway, etc."

Have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do not pass but substitute therefor Committee

Substitute hereto attached, and that it do pass and be printed.

WITT, Chairman.

Committee Room,
Austin, Texas, June 7, 1929.
Hon. Barry Miller, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on State Highways and Motor Traffic, to whom was referred

S. B. No. 10, A bill to be entitled "An Act to provide that the Highway Department may issue a permit upon the application of any person, firm or corporation to operate over a State Highway super-heavy or over-size equipment for the transportation of such commodities as cannot be reasonably dismantled; etc."

Have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass.

WITT, Chairman.

Committee Room,
Austin, Texas, June 7, 1929.

Hon. Barry Miller, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on State Highways and Motor Traffic, to whom was referred

S. B. No. 28, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 1434 of the Penal Code of Texas, 1925, as amended by Chapter 77, General and Special Laws of the First Called Session of the Fortieth Legislature, and Article 1435 of the Penal Code of Texas, 1925, relating to the transfer of secondhand or used vehicles etc."

Have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass.

WITT, Chairman.

Committee Room,
Austin, Texas, June 7, 1929.

Hon. Barry Miller, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on State Highways and Motor Traffic, to whom was referred

S. B. No. 13, A bill to be entitled "An Act authorizing the State Highway Department of the State of Texas to audit the records and fees collected by the tax collectors for the registration or transfer of motor vehicles, tractors, semi-trailers, or

other motor vehicles or for chauffeurs license, etc."

Have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass.

WITT, Chairman.

Committee Room,

Austin, Texas, June 7, 1929.

Hon. Barry Miller, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on State Highways and Motor Traffic to whom was referred

S. B. No. 43, A bill to be entitled "An Act relating to the issuance and use, by manufacturers and dealers, demonstration number plates on motor vehicles, etc."

Have had the same under consideration and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass.

WITT, Chairman.

Committee Room,

Austin, Texas, June 7, 1929.

Hon. Barry Miller, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on State Highways and Motor Traffic, to whom was referred

S. B. No. 12, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing for the registration in this State of vehicles owned by citizens of another state or country and duly registered under the laws of said state or country for the current year; etc."

Have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass.

WITT, Chairman.

Committee Room,

Austin, Texas, June 7, 1929.

Hon. Barry Miller, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on State Highways and Motor Traffic, to whom was referred

S. B. No. 64, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 1 in Lavaca County, Texas; validating and approving all orders made by the Commissioners Court of said County in respect to the organization of said District; etc."

Have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the

recommendation that it do pass and be not printed.

WITT, Chairman.

Committee Room,

Austin, Texas, June 7, 1929.

Hon. Barry Miller, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on State Highways and Motor Traffic, to whom was referred

S. B. No. 42, A bill to be entitled "An Act, regulating the lights and lighting and operation of motor vehicles, tractors, trailers, semi-trailers, motorcycles and bicycles in this State, prescribing the lights for such vehicles between the hours of half hour after sunset and half hour before sunrise, etc."

Have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass.

WITT, Chairman.

Committee Room,

Austin, Texas, June 7, 1929.

Hon. Barry Miller, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Banking, to whom was referred

S. B. No. 65, A bill to be entitled "An Act relating to bank and bank and trust companies; amending Article 388, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas of 1925 so as to provide for the minimum amount of capital stock to be owned by directors of such banks and bank and trust companies."

Have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass but be not printed except in the Journal.

RUSSEK, Chairman.

By Senators Holbrook, S. B. No. 65.
Russek, Witt, Par-
rish, Berkeley,
Hornsby, Thomason,
Miller and Wirtz.

A BILL

To Be Entitled

An Act relating to banks and bank and trust companies; amending Article 388, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas of 1925 so as to provide for the minimum amount of capital stock to be owned by directors of such banks and bank and trust companies.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. Article 388 of the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas of 1925 is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

"Article 388. The business of every banking corporation shall be managed by a board of directors, a majority of whom shall be bona fide resident citizens of this State, and each of whom shall be a bona fide owner of at least \$500.00 par value of the capital stock thereof, unless the capital stock of the corporation exceeds \$17,500.00, in which case each director shall be bona fide owner of at least \$1,000.00 par value of the capital stock. No person shall be a director in any bank against whom such bank holds a judgment."

Sec. 2. The fact that there is a great need for the changes in the banking laws of this State as incorporated in this bill, and that such changes should take effect as soon as possible, creates an emergency and an imperative public necessity that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days in each House be suspended, and said rule is hereby suspended and that this Act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage, and it is so enacted.

Committee Room,
Austin, Texas, June 7, 1929.

Hon. Barry Miller, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Finance, to whom was referred

S. B. No. 75, A bill to be entitled "An Act making certain emergency appropriations out of the general revenue of the State for the Judiciary Department of the State Government, for the balance of the fiscal years ending August 31, 1927, and 1929, and declaring an emergency."

Have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass, and be printed in the Journal only.

POLLARD, Chairman.

A BILL

To Be Entitled

An Act making certain emergency appropriations out of the general revenue of the State for the Judiciary Department of the State Government, for the balance of the

fiscal years ending August 31, 1927, and 1929; and declaring an emergency.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That the following sums of money be, and the same are hereby, appropriated out of any funds in the State Treasury, not otherwise appropriated, to cover emergency appropriations for the Judiciary Department of the State Government, for the balance of the fiscal years ending August 31, 1927, and 1929, which appropriations shall be for the emergencies hereinafter stated.

To pay the balance of salaries of three judges of the Supreme Court of the State of Texas, at \$316.58 each, for the fiscal year ending August 31, 1927.....	\$ 949.74
To pay the balance of salaries of the Commission of Appeals of the State of Texas, at \$105.48 each, for the fiscal year ending August 31, 1927.....	632.88
To pay the balance of salaries of judges of the Court of Criminal Appeals, three at \$316.58 each, and two at \$105.54, for the fiscal year ending August 31, 1927.....	1,160.82
To pay the balance of salaries of judges of the First Court of Civil Appeals of the State of Texas, at \$422.15 each, for the fiscal year ending August 31, 1927.....	1,266.45
To pay the balance of salaries of judges of the Second Court of Civil Appeals of the State of Texas, at \$422.15 each, for the fiscal year ending August 31, 1927.....	1,266.45
To pay the balance of salaries of judges of the Third Court of Civil Appeals of the State of Texas, at \$422.15 each, for the fiscal year ending August 31, 1927.....	1,266.45
To pay the balance of salaries of judges of the Fourth Court of Civil Appeals of the State of	

Texas, at \$422.15 each for the fiscal year ending August 31, 1927....	1,266.45	33rd, 34th, 35th, 36th, 37th, 38th, 39th, 40th, 41st, 42nd, 43rd, 44th, 45th, 46th, 47th, 48th, 49th, 50th, 51st, 52nd, 53rd, 54th, 55th, 56th, 57th, 58th, 59th, 60th, 61st, 62nd, 63rd, 64th, 65th, 66th, 67th, 68th, 69th, 70th, 71st, 72nd, 73rd, 74th, 75th, 76th, 77th, 78th, 79th, 80th, 81st, 82nd, 83rd, 84th, 85th, 86th, 87th, 88th, 89th, 90th, 91st, 92nd, 93rd, 94th, 95th, 96th, 97th, 98th, 99th, 100th, 101st, 102nd, 103rd, 106th, Judicial Districts of the State of Texas, at \$212.80 each, for the fiscal year ending August 31, 1927.....	21,280.00
To pay the balance of salaries of judges of the Fifth Court of Civil Appeals of the State of Texas, at \$422.15 each, for the fiscal year ending August 31, 1927....	1,266.45	To pay the balance of salary of the District Judge of the 10th Judicial District of the State of Texas, at \$242.07, for the fiscal year ending August 31, 1927	242.07
To pay the balance of salaries of judges of the Sixth Court of Civil Appeals of the State of Texas, at \$422.15 each, for the fiscal year ending August 31, 1927....	1,266.45	To pay the balance of salaries of the Criminal District Judges of Dallas, Harris, Travis, Tarrant, Cameron, and Dallas Counties, at \$211.15 each, for the fiscal year ending August 31, 1927	1,266.90
To pay the balance of salaries of judges of the Seventh Court of Civil Appeals of the State of Texas, at \$422.15 each, for the fiscal year ending August 31, 1927....	1,266.45	To pay the balance of salaries of District Attorneys of the 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 5th, 6th, 7th, 8th, 9th, 12th, 21st, 22nd, 23rd, 24th, 25th, 27th, 29th, 30th, 31st, 32nd, 33rd, 34th, 35th, 36th, 37th, 38th, 39th, 42nd, 46th, 47th, 49th, 50th, 51st, 52nd, 63rd, 64th, 69th, 70th, 72nd, 75th, 76th, 77th, 79th, 81st, 83rd, 90th, 100th, 104th, 106th, Judicial Districts of the State of Texas, at \$10.00 each, for the fiscal year ending August 31, 1928	490.00
To pay the balance of salaries of judges of the Eighth Court of Civil Appeals of the State of Texas, at \$422.15 each, for the fiscal year ending August 31, 1927....	1,266.45		
To pay the balance of salaries of judges of the Ninth Court of Civil Appeals of the State of Texas, at \$422.15 each, for the fiscal year ending August 31, 1927....	1,266.45		
To pay the balance of salaries of judges of the Tenth Court of Civil Appeals of the State of Texas, at \$422.15 each, for the fiscal year ending August 31, 1927....	1,266.45		
To pay the balance of salaries of judges of the Eleventh Court of Civil Appeals of the State of Texas, at \$422.15 each, for the fiscal year ending August 31, 1927....	1,266.45		
To pay the balance of salaries of District judges of the 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 5th, 6th, 7th, 8th, 9th, 10th, 11th, 12th, 13th, 14th, 15th, 16th, 17th, 18th, 19th, 20th, 21st, 22nd, 23rd, 24th, 25th, 26th, 27th, 28th, 29th, 30th, 31st, 32nd,			
		Total	\$39,953.36
		Sec. 2. The fact that the appropriations heretofore made for the above items are exhausted or will	

become exhausted before the expiration of the time for which the same were appropriated, creates an emergency and an imperative public necessity which justifies the suspension of the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days in each House, and the rule is hereby suspended, and this Act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage, and it is so enacted.

Committee Room,
Austin, Texas, June 7, 1929.
Hon. Barry Miller, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Finance, to whom was referred

S. B. No. 77, A bill to be entitled "An Act making appropriation to cover deficiencies in appropriations heretofore made for the support of the Judiciary Department of the State Government of the State of Texas, for the fiscal years ending August 31, 1923, 1925, 1927, 1928, and 1929, and declaring an emergency."

Have had the same under consideration and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass and be printed in the Journal only.

POLLARD, Chairman.

By Pollard. S. B. No. 77.

A BILL To Be Entitled

An Act making appropriation to cover deficiencies in appropriations heretofore made for the support of the Judiciary Department of the State Government of the State of Texas, for the fiscal years ending August 31, 1923, 1925, 1927, 1928, and 1929, and declaring an emergency.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That the following sums be, and the same are, hereby appropriated out of any money in the State Treasury, not otherwise appropriated, to cover deficiencies for the purposes herein named in appropriations heretofore made for the support of the Judicial Department of the State Government for the fiscal years ending August 31, 1923, 1925, 1927, 1928, and 1929, which deficiencies have been duly authorized in Title 15, Chapter 2, Code of Criminal Procedure of the State of Texas.

For the Fiscal Year Ending August 31, 1923.	
Expenses of attached witnesses and witness fees and mileage allowed witnesses in felony cases who reside in counties other than the counties in which the cause is being tried	\$1,550.00
For the Fiscal Year Ending August 31, 1925.	
Expenses of attached witnesses and witness fees and mileage allowed witnesses in felony cases who reside in counties other than the counties in which the cause is being tried	\$ 875.00
Fees and costs of sheriffs, attorneys and clerks in felony cases	\$5,871.11
For the Fiscal Year Ending August 31, 1927.	
Fees and costs of sheriffs, attorneys and clerks in felony cases	\$ 53.50
For the Fiscal Year Ending August 31, 1928.	
Fees and costs of sheriffs, attorneys and clerks in felony cases	\$ 5,435.15
Expenses of attached witnesses and witness fees and mileage allowed witnesses in felony cases who reside in counties other than the counties in which the cause is being tried	427.50
Fees of county judges, county attorneys, justices of the peace, sheriffs, and constables in examining trials	288.00
To supplement the fees and costs of sheriffs, attorneys and clerks in felony cases for the fiscal year ending August 31, 1929	15,000.00
Total	\$29,500.46

Sec. 2. The fact that the deficiencies as above set forth have been incurred and are unpaid, and the officials and persons holding such outstanding evidence of indebtedness are compelled to hold same for long periods of time and to suffer loss by excessive rates of discounts, creates an emergency and an imperative public necessity that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read

on three several days be suspended, and the same is hereby suspended, and this Act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage, and it is so enacted.

Committee Room.

Austin, Texas, June 7, 1929.

Hon. Barry Miller, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Finance, to whom was referred

S. B. No. 78, A bill to be entitled "An Act making an appropriation of \$28,911.47, or so much thereof as may be necessary, payable out of the General Revenue not otherwise appropriated; and appropriating all other current revenue, or so much thereof as may be necessary, to be derived from the operation of the Texas State Railroad until August 31, 1929, and to be deposited in the State Treasury; said appropriations being for the traveling, clerical and other expenses of the Board of Managers, and all other expenses connected with the sale and maintenance, operation or lease of said railroad, and being for the period up to and including August 31, 1931; and declaring an emergency."

Have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass, and be printed in the Journal only.

POLLARD, Chairman.

By Greer.

S. B. No. 78.

A BILL

To Be Entitled

An Act making an appropriation of \$28,911.47 or so much thereof as may be necessary, payable out of the General Revenue not otherwise appropriated, and appropriating all other current revenue, or so much thereof as may be necessary, to be derived from the operation of the Texas State Railroad until August 31, 1929, and to be deposited in the State Treasury; said appropriations being for the traveling, clerical and other expenses of the Board of Managers, and all other expenses connected with the sale and maintenance, operation or lease of said railroad, and being for the period up to and including August 31, 1931; and declaring an emergency.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That the sum of \$28,911.47 or so much thereof, as may be necessary, payable out of the General Revenue not otherwise appropriated and also the current revenue, or so much thereof, as may be necessary, to be derived from the operation of the Texas State Railroad until August 31, 1929, and to be deposited in the State Treasury, is hereby appropriated for the traveling, clerical and other expenses of the Board of Managers, of the Texas State Railroad, and all other expenses connected with the sale, maintenance, operation, or lease of said railroad for the period up to and including August 31, 1931.

Sec. 2. The fact that the State has authorized the sale of the Texas State Railroad and the necessity of maintaining and operating the same require that the appropriation made by this Act shall be made immediately available therefore, an emergency and an imperative public necessity exists demanding the suspending all bills to be read on three several days in each House, and that this Act shall take effect from and after its passage, and said rule is hereby suspended, and it is so enacted.

Committee Room,

Austin, Texas, June 7, 1929.

Hon. Barry Miller, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Finance, to whom was referred

S. B. No. 79, A bill to be entitled "An Act making an appropriation for the benefit of Slocum Consolidated School District No. 5 of Anderson County on account of the recent destruction of the school buildings and property in the territory now composing said district; directing the expenditure of said money; and declaring an emergency."

Have had the same under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass, and be printed in the Journal only.

POLLARD, Chairman.

By Greer.

S. B. No. 79.

A BILL

To Be Entitled

An Act making an appropriation for the benefit of Slocum Consolidated School District No. 5 of Anderson County on account of the recent

destruction of the school buildings and property in the territory now composing said district; directing the expenditure of said money; and declaring an emergency.

Whereas, The school buildings, facilities and property of Slocum Independent School District and Phillips Springs Common School District in Anderson County were recently completely destroyed by tornado leaving the people in said districts wholly without school facilities; and

Whereas, Said Districts have been considered and

Whereas, Such disaster constitutes a great public calamity justifying the Legislature in making this appropriation; now therefore

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. There is hereby appropriated out of the State Treasury to Slocum Consolidated School District No. 5 of Anderson County, the sum of Fifteen Thousand (\$15,000.00) Dollars to be used by said District in replacing its school buildings and facilities as provided herein. The Board of Trustees of said District shall use \$13,500.00 of said money to replace the Slocum School Building and facilities, and shall use \$1,500.00 to construct a one room primary school building and facilities at Phillips Springs.

Sec. 2. Said monies shall be paid to the Trustees of said District on sworn accounts as needed on approved estimates as the work of reconstruction and replacement progresses, on warrants drawn by the State Comptroller.

Sec. 3. The fact that a recent tornado completely wiped out the school properties of said school district, which constitutes a great public calamity and there being no adequate method of replacement unless this Act is passed, creates an emergency and an imperative public necessity that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days in each House be and the same is hereby suspended, and that this Act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage, and it is so enacted.

SIXTH DAY.

Senate Chamber,
Austin, Texas.

Monday, June 10, 1929.

The Senate met at 10 o'clock a. m. pursuant to adjournment, and was called to order by Lieutenant Governor Barry Miller.

The roll was called, a quorum being present, the following Senators answering to their names:

Beck.	Moore.
Berkley.	Neal.
Cousins.	Parrish.
Cunningham.	Patton.
DeBerry.	Pollard.
Gainer.	Russek.
Greer.	Small.
Hardin.	Stevenson.
Holbrook.	Thomason.
Hornsby.	Westbrook.
Hyer.	Williamson.
Love.	Wirtz.
Martin.	Witt.
McFarlane.	Woodward.
Miller.	

Absent—Excused.

Parr. Woodul.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

Pending the reading of the Journal of yesterday, the same was dispensed with on motion of Senator Woodward.

Petitions and Memorials.

(See Appendix).

Committee Reports.

(See Appendix).

Bills and Resolutions.

By Senator Holbrook.

S. B. No. 101, A bill to be entitled "An Act to create Road District No. 5 in Brazoria County, Texas; etc., and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read first time and referred to Committee on State Highways and Motor Traffic.

By Senators Wirtz and Moore.

S. B. No. 102, A bill to be entitled "An Act fixing the salary of the official court reporters in each Judicial district composed of one county only, and in which county there is only one district court; etc., and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read first time and